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**PATENT**

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In Re: Patent Application of : Group Art Unit: 2875  
Jean-Marc Wilhelm *et al.* :  
Conf. No.: 6484 :  
Appln. No.: 09/636,565 : Examiner: Jacob Y. Choi  
Filed: August 10, 2000 :  
For: AIRCRAFT LIGHTING MEANS : Attorney Docket  
COMPATIBLE WITH A NIGHT : No. 10000-12US  
VISION IMAGING SYSTEM : (100081 US/WO)

**AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL LETTER**

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment in the above-identified application.

- ☐ Substitute Specification.  
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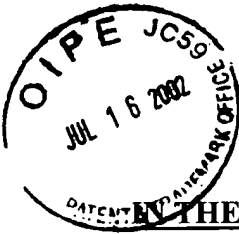
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AMENDMENT

The following Amendment and Remarks are submitted in response to the Office Action mailed April 10, 2002 (Paper No. 4). Kindly amend the above-identified U.S. patent application, without prejudice, as follows:

In the Claims:

Please amend claims 1-45 as rewritten below.

A Marked-Up Version of Claims 1-45 amended by rewriting and having all additions underlined and deletions bracketed is attached hereto.

1. (Amended) A combination of lighting means and of a light intensifier night vision system, the lighting means being chosen so as not to disturb the light intensifier night vision imaging system, wherein the lighting means comprise at least one light-emitting source of a polychromatic white light with high radiant energy in the violet/blue wavelengths band and with low residual energy in the red wavelengths band.

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